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# New Licentiates.

The following candidates were granted certificates at the last examination, held in San Francisco October 25 and 26, 1904. Clair Belle Stockton, William &

Lavy, Walter Turnbull, Jr., John S. Slavich, Harry C. Warren, John Howard Mules, George A. Harker, Carl Lemonde Powers, M. D. Baker, Robert J. Nicholls, Stuart Z. Peoples, Foster M. Hoag, John N. Chain, Gustavus I. Hogue, E. L. H. Swift, Lorenzo S. Morgan, Ruth Bennett Morgan, Martin McAulay.

#### AS WE SEEM TO NEW JERSEY.

"Our brother Jones, he of the California State Journal of Medicine, doth wield a doughty pen. He calleth a spade by its right name and feareth not the consequences of speaking the unvarnished truth.

What medicine and medical journalism to-day need more than anything else is just such men as Philip Mills Jones. So many of us would like to do right and speak out in meeting if we only dared and if there were not so many reasons why it is not expedient to do so.

He alludes to some of us Eastern fellows as narrowminded and hide bound. Strange as it may seem, the same thoughts have sometimes occurred to us, but we have stifled them in our bosom. However, we believe in the crusade he is conducting against the thraldom in which the patent medicine advertisers have wrapped the respectable, but easily worked medical editors and publishers of the East.

If the trustees of the American Medical Association and the Editor of its *Journal* have read some of Dr. Jones's remarks about themselves, we are disposed to believe that these good men have felt rather foolish."—*Journal of the Medical Society of New Jersey*.

[This comment is not reprinted because of any overmastering conceit on the part of the editor; the "kicks" come in with sufficient regularity to prevent that. The criticism which has been voiced by your JOURNAL was not uttered lightly and without consideration by the Publication Committee, and consequently we feel encouraged in knowing that other people in other places think we have done right.]

# lodothyrine; A Correction.

In our table of synonyms we have been publishing the statement that this substance is a "dried lactose trituration of the thyroid gland." The manufacturers have kindly sent us a copy of the letters patent No. 626,648, covering iodothyrine, which clearly show that it is a substance supposed to be the active principle of the gland, extracted by a special process, covered by the patent. We are very much obliged to the manufacturers for enabling us to correct this error, as our table, to be of much use, must be, above all things, accurate. We respectfully call the attention of our kindly disposed critics to the fact that this is a correction and not a "reading notice." The manufacturers of this particular chemical are not even to be found amongst the advertising patrons of the Journal.—Ed.

## Stovain; a New Analgesic.

The chemical name of this new drug is given as hydrochlorat of dimethyl-amino-benzoyl-temtanol. It was isolated by French chemists and is not patented; nor is the name "Stovain," controlled by trademark. The attention of physicians on this coast has been called to Stovain by Dr. Dudley Tait. Experimental and clinical work show it to be almost as analgesic as cocaine, over which it possesses numerous advantages. It is a vasmotor dilator, and not a constrictor, as is cocaine; analgesia is produced in a much shorter time; its poisonous action, as indicated by the relative lethal dose, is only about one-third that of cocaine. But little attention has been paid to Stovain, probably for the reason that it is not a controlled product and consequently no manufacturer has exploited it and the profession to his own gain. Those who are interested in securing a chemical that will do the work of cocaine without producing its unpleasant results, should investigate Stovain.